



3) Actuarial Internship Program

As an intern, you will provide business value from day one as a member of a team. You will be given the resources you need to succeed through the aid of your manager, mentor, fellow interns and teammates. You will also receive the unique opportunity to attend informative, networking, social, and community investment events which aim to equip you with the professional knowledge and skills necessary for full-time employment. The twelve week internship program culminates with a final presentation in order to enhance your communication skills.

4) Actuarial Study Program & Awards

Your journey towards becoming a designated actuary is important to us. Zurich will support you by providing study time, exam materials, tuition for exam seminars, and payment of exam fees. Not only does Zurich provide you with the resources you need, we believe in rewarding your success! Zurich provides competitive salary awards and bonuses for exams passed.

5) Career Advancement

As an intern or new hire, your technical skills and insurance knowledge will be expanded through the Summer Training Program. These sessions detail Zurich's business units, the ratemaking process, career paths within Zurich, and much more. At Zurich, we believe the learning process never ends. A wide variety of potential career paths including actuarial management, business leadership and niche actuarial positions exist within Zurich.



We're on a journey to build a new state-of-the-art headquarters in Schaumburg, Illinois. The new Zurich North America Headquarters is expected to be completed in 2016. We are enjoying the opportunity to transform the way we think about building design – such as incorporating green roofs – in order to be energy efficient and minimize the environmental impact of our daily operations. The world-class design of our new headquarters encourages natural light and open space while thoughtfully incorporating employee wellness components throughout the facility. Our leadership team is committed to giving employees an environment in which they can be fully energized to deliver their best, and where they can learn and grow every day.

Online Resources

To be considered for an actuarial internship or entry-level position, apply online at <http://www.zurichna.com/zna/careers/careers.htm>

Additional program information including job qualifications can be found online.

<http://www.zurichna.com/zna/careers/training-programs/actuarialstudentprogram.htm>

<http://www.zurichna.com/zna/careers/internship/actuarialinternprogram.htm>

To learn more about Zurich, please visit our website at www.zurichna.com.

For more information on the Casualty Actuarial Society Examinations, please visit www.casact.org/admissions.

It is the policy of Zurich in North America, as an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer, to attract and retain the best-qualified people available without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability or veteran status.

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Top 5 Reasons to Pursue an Actuarial Career at Zurich

1) Provide Valuable Insights to Businesses

With a large, diverse, and growing actuarial unit, Zurich in North America is able to provide valuable and result driven insights to our business partners. Our wide array of talented individuals allows us to assemble knowledgeable teams from different backgrounds, ensuring that every facet of every problem is accounted for. It's the actuarial unit's innovative solutions, deep analyses, and ability to deliver action based insights which ultimately drives Zurich's overall growth and stability.

2) Rotational Opportunities

We are committed to developing our talent. We believe rotating within the different actuarial areas is the key to the success of our actuarial students. After roughly 18-24 months of mastering their first role, actuarial students are encouraged to try a new area and broaden their insurance, as well as technical, knowledge. Students welcome the opportunity to rotate within North America and beyond. Our International Rotation Program, catered to employees with three to five years of work experience, gives select students the opportunity to advance their skills in one of our locations around the globe. When you welcome challenges, you welcome opportunity.





Zurich Financial Services Group

Zurich Insurance Group (Zurich) is a leading multi-line insurance provider with a global network of subsidiaries and offices in Europe, North America, Latin America, Asia-Pacific, and the Middle East as well as other markets. We offer a range of insurance coverage for businesses of all sizes, from mid-sized businesses to global conglomerates.

Together, we are Zurich: one global company with one mission, one ambition, one set of shared values, and a clearly articulated commitment to our customers, our people, our shareholders, and the communities in which we live and work.

Zurich was founded in 1872 and is headquartered in Zurich, Switzerland. In 1912 Zurich entered the U.S. market. Today, Zurich has over 55,000 employees, including 9,500 in North America, serving customers in more than 200 countries and territories*.

Zurich is one of the world's largest insurance groups, and one of the few to operate on a truly global basis.

Zurich in North America (www.zurichna.com) is the fourth-largest commercial property-casualty insurance company, serving the global corporate, large corporate, middle market, specialties, and programs sectors.

*As defined under the International Organization of Standards (ISO)

My Zurich Story

Edgar
Actuarial Analyst-
Business Insights



"After completing a dual degree in Economics and Public Policy at the University of Chicago, I was drawn to Zurich by their global culture and commitment to community investment. I've just celebrated my one year anniversary at Zurich as an analyst on the Business Insights' team where I conduct complex reserve analysis for the profitability reviews and support rate monitoring."

"I found the working environment at Zurich to be a good fit for my personality. I work best by collaborating with others, and enjoy working with pricing partners, underwriters, field actuaries and my teammates on a regular basis. There's no typical day at Zurich; I enjoy the challenge."

"I look forward to developing my career through Zurich's international program, rotational opportunities, and management positions."



Lauren
Actuarial Analyst II –
Strategic Analytics

"Zurich's global presence and wealth of opportunities are what appealed to me, as my career goals included being a well-rounded professional and traveling abroad. I was not disappointed."

"I started working in Business Insights and later took a position in Sydney, Australia in reserving. Aside from experiencing a new culture, I was able to strengthen the role the actuarial unit played in providing insights to the business. Currently, I work in Strategic Analytics on the Data Visualization team. In this role, I've found that I enjoy taking information from different actuarial analyses and reports, and turning them into tangible and meaningful insights for the actuarial unit and our business partners."

My Zurich Story

Glenn
Actuarial Analyst –
Predictive Modeling



"While completing my double bachelors' in Statistics and Economics at Northwestern University, I knew I needed a career that would use my technical skills to solve business concerns. One day I was shown the Wall Street Journal's list of the top ten jobs and, that year, actuary was number one. After some research and studying, I was sitting for my first exam a few months later."

"From the first day at Zurich, I immediately felt like part of the company. I started as an intern with Zurich's Predictive Modeling team, and there it became clear that being an actuary and modeler would utilize my skill set in ways that I could contribute real insights to the business."

"Zurich is an exciting place to be because Zurich never stops investing in its employees, and there are plenty of chances to network outside of the actuarial community, as well as within."

"I am proud of what Zurich does and about what I do for the company. At Zurich, the work we do and the products we deliver to customers provide plenty of room for creativity and innovation, especially in Predictive Modeling. From day one, the learning environment was interactive and I worked alongside my managers, not just for them."

"I would love to spend my entire career working for Zurich. There are so many opportunities within actuarial roles, and throughout the company; the possibilities are truly world class."



Predictive Modeling @ Zurich

Everything you need to know

The Predictive Modeling Team plays a vital role within Zurich. In fact, Zurich was one of the first commercial lines insurance companies to embrace predictive modeling.

Predictive Modeling is a specialized team within Zurich's analytics and actuarial communities. Advanced mathematics and statistics are used extensively within this team, so additional technical qualifications are required.

The team's goal is simple: To deliver distinctive risk insights that drive the decisions to better serve our customers. The modeling work includes:

- Estimate losses to help Zurich set an appropriate price for a policy.
- Mine for early signs of claim complexity and aid in claim handler assignment.
- Analyze account elasticity and customer prospecting, a key to success in the property-casualty insurance business.

Zurich's Predictive Modeling team works directly with global analytics and business partners. At Zurich, predictive modeling is an integral part of company strategy.

Utilizing the latest analytics tools, predictive modelers address fresh and exciting challenges that require cutting-edge techniques and approaches. Development opportunities within Zurich's Predictive Modeling team make for a world-class culture.